

## Weather Forecast

Increasing cloudiness and not quite so cold followed by snow or freezing rain tonight. Tuesday, cloudy with rain.

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## Good Evening

It isn't what a man thinks that counts, it's what his wife says.

PRICE THREE CENTS

## DAMAGE ACTION SETTLED TODAY FOR \$4,067.93

A settlement of \$4,067.93 in the action in trespass brought by Marlin W. Chronister, near Hampton, against Eugene C. and Irene E. Lemmon, East Berlin R. 1, was permitted by the Adams county court following a hearing this morning.

Of that amount approximately \$1,216 went for medical and hospital expenses. The sum of \$2,500 was given for pain and suffering and \$351.93 for loss of wages by Chronister during his period of hospitalization. Appearing as witnesses in the hearing today were Dr. R. Y. Dalrymple, of Hanover and Chronister.

Chronister, 19-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry L. Chronister, Reading township, was injured June 1, 1947, near Five Points. Attorney Daniel E. Teeter said that Chronister was riding a motorbike and was passing a truck owned by the Lemmons when Lemmon attempted a left turn without signal. Chronister said on the stand today that he has no recollection of the accident. Removed to the hospital with a broken leg on June 1, he was discharged on September 8, 1947. When the leg broke again he was returned to the hospital on November 28, and discharged finally on February 17, 1948.

### Argument Heard

The First National bank of Gettysburg was chosen as guardian for the youth, who is employed in the milling business. As a result of the injury he demonstrated to the court, he is unable to have full use of his right leg.

Argument was held in court on the action of Wolford C. Archie C. and Nelson A. Sober, Lemoyne, and R. W. Sawyer, Sr., Enola, who are seeking a new trial in two cases brought by them against Lester L. Wise, and a motion for judgment n.o.v. in four cases brought by Wise and others against them.

Attorney Richard A. Brown argued for Lester L. Wise, Norman L. Thumma, Bruce E. Wise, Ruthetta Wise, Clyde Eichelberger and Shirley D. Wise, all of the Wellsville area, that the jury knew what it was doing when it found for the Wises against the Sobers in a series of six cases during the November term of court. Attorney Eugene V. Buleit, appearing for the Sobers, argued that the jury in giving the Wises the victory in the case had done so against the evidence presented. The court accepted briefs from the attorneys, heard the arguments and will hand down an opinion at a later date.

Firemen To Elect

The annual elections will be held on Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the monthly meeting of Alpha Fire company No. 1 in the fire hall.

A special New Year's program will be presented at the weekly meeting of the Littlestown Rotary

### Offers Help With Income Tax Forms

Deputy Collector of Internal Revenue Thomas C. McSherry today said office hours will be maintained daily except Saturday until January 15 for the convenience of countians who are required to file reports by that date.

Mr. McSherry said assistance will be available for persons who are required to file amended estimates and also to farmers who must file reports or amended estimates by the January 15 deadline.

### Littlestown

## COUPLES WILL MARK DOUBLE ANNIVERSARY

The home of Mr. and Mrs. David Messinger, who reside on Christ Reformed church farm, near Littlestown, will be the scene of a double wedding anniversary dinner on Tuesday, when the Messingers will celebrate their 25th wedding anniversary and Mrs. Messinger's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Markle, Abbottstown, will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Messinger were married January 4, 1924, in the Lutheran parsonage at Spring Grove by the Rev. Fred S. Geesey. They are the parents of six children, five of whom are living. Their children placed a basket of white chrysanthemums and carnations in the chancel of Christ church on Sunday morning in honor of their parents' coming wedding anniversary. Mr. Messinger is the sexton of Christ church.

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### Local Weather

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Saturday night's low ..... 32

Sunday's high ..... 40

Last night's low ..... 29

Today at 1:30 p.m. ..... 45

## MISS SHULLEY, HAROLD E. HESS WED SATURDAY

Miss Larita Margaret Shulley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis W. Shulley, Orrtanna, was united in marriage with Harold Edward Hess, son of Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Hess, Gettysburg R. 5, in Bender's Evangelical church, near Biglerville, at 2:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon by the Rev. H. W. Sternat. The double ring ceremony of the Lutheran church was used. The wedding took place on the 30th wedding anniversary of the bridegroom's parents.

The season's colors, green and red, predominated in the church decoration. Mrs. Sternat played the "Bridal Chorus" from "Lohengrin" by Wagner as the processional and Mendelssohn's "Wedding March" as the recessional.

The bride wore a gray gabardine suit with black accessories and a corsage of red rosebuds. The best man was Michael Shemon, Biglerville.

### IS WAR VETERAN

The bride graduated from Gettysburg high school in the class of 1945. The bridegroom is a graduate of Gettysburg high school, class of 1941. He attended York welding school and served with the United States 2nd Armored Division in Africa, Sicily, England, France, Holland, Belgium and Germany. He was awarded the Bronze and Silver Stars for gallantry in action and was a wearer of the Purple Heart medal.

His campaign ribbons bear seven bronze stars and one amphibious arrowhead for a beach landing. He is employed as budget manager at "Joe, The Motorists' Friend, Inc." store in Gettysburg.

Immediately after the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride. Following the reception the couple left for a wedding trip of unannounced destination. Upon their return they will reside at 161 North Washington street, Gettysburg. Out of town guests included Mr. and Mrs. Gordon L. Adair and family of Waynesboro.

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## New Democratic Congress Convenes; Rules Issue Is Up

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Washington, Jan. 3 (P)—The new Democratic-controlled Congress convened today and headed quickly toward a test of President Truman's influence on Capitol Hill.

The issue shaped up from a proposal by Democratic leaders to change House rules and ease the way for controversial labor and social measures—such as Mr. Truman campaigned for—to come to the House floor.

Republicans decided in a pre-session conference to fight the rule change. They hoped to win enough support from southern Democrats to beat it in a House with 262 Democratic members and 171 Republicans.

## FLORIDA FRUIT HIT BY FROST; SNOW IN WEST

By The Associated Press

Truck growers in the Florida Everglades surveyed frost-wracked damage to their crops today as a whistling blizzard harassed livestock producers over most of the high Great Plains region.

With reports still incomplete on the extent of the frost and freezing temperatures in Florida Saturday night, it is known to have been heavy in many sections.

Warren O. Johnson, chief of the Federal-State Frost Warning service, said some crops of corn, sweet potatoes, squash and new beans were killed and that lettuce, cabbage and other crops were damaged, some extensively. Temperature had climbed back into the 50s throughout the south and southeast today.

The blizzard which came out of the Rocky Mountains into western Kansas, western Nebraska and western Oklahoma last night is of the solid variety which might carry with diminishing effect into the citrus fruit belt of the Rio Grande valley and Texas Gulf coast, said W. M. Percy, federal forecaster at Chicago.

Percy said the heavy snow in the Plains would be whipped into drifts by strong winds throughout most of today and that visibility was at or near zero. Most of the area already had received from one to four inches of new snow. Snow was falling as far south as New Mexico and El Paso, Tex.

In eastern Colorado and Wyoming, where the snowfall was the heaviest of the winter, deep drifts slowed train and motor travel. Some plane flights out of Denver were cancelled. Approximately 200 motorists were stranded at Nunn, Colo., where many of them were housed in a public hall.

All roads in southeastern Wyoming were barred to all traffic except highway patrol cars which were dispatched to rescue stalled motorists.

Subnormal temperatures also stung the Pacific coast area, except extreme southern California. At Bakersfield, Calif., the mercury had skidded to 33 degrees at midnight. Some highways between Los Angeles and San Francisco were snow-blocked.

## 14 KILLED IN PLANE CRASH

Seattle, Jan. 3 (AP)—A transport plane loaded with Yale university students crashed and exploded seconds after its takeoff last night, killing at least 14 of the 30 persons aboard.

Fifteen survived the crash. One person was not accounted for early today.

Twenty-seven Yale students from Washington and Oregon had chartered the DC-3 from Seattle Air Charter, a non-scheduled operator, to take them back to New Haven, Conn., after the holidays. The other three aboard were crew members.

The plane roared down an icy runway just at 10 p. m. Ten feet off the ground it faltered, struck the ground and crashed into the end of a Boeing Airplane company experimental hangar. Hours after the wreck rescuers still were removing burned bodies and trying to identify victims.

Thirteen were taken to hospitals soon after the crash, several badly burned. Some left the scene unaided, adding to difficulty of determining the number killed.

Although a full night shift was working inside the hangar, none there was injured. Workmen inside the hangar were first to reach the wreckage. They braved fierce flames in bringing out survivors.

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Mr. Guise, a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Dale W. Guise, was graduated from Drexel Hill high school in 1945 and is now a student at Thompson's Business college.

Miss Elizabeth Troxell has resumed her teaching at New Holland after the holidays which she spent with her parents, Prof. and Mrs. Fred Troxell, Baltimore street.

Miss Winifred Campbell, Springs avenue, returned from a holiday visit with relatives at Hagerstown.

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Herbert Smith, West Broadway, has returned from a visit with friends at Ramsey, N. J. Harvey Smith, of Baltimore, spent the week-end at home.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Deitch and Miss Jackie Long, Carlisle street, over the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Simpson, Philadelphia, and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Deitch and sons, Kenneth, Jr., and John, Devon.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll R. McDonnell and children, Carroll, Jr., and Jean, Drexel Hill; Mr. and Mrs. J. Henry McDonnell, Dover, Del., and Mr. and Mrs. Luther McDonnell, West Middle street, were Christmas holiday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John E. McDonnell, 140 West Middle street.

Mrs. John Shoop and grandson, Thomas Christian Harris, 3rd, have returned to their home in Richmond, Va., after a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. David Weller, Chambersburg street.

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## Carlisle Meets Maroons Here Tuesday As South Penn Loop Starts 1949 Cage Campaign

Carlisle high school will be the opponent of the Gettysburg high cagers when the teams inaugurate their South Penn conference race here Tuesday evening.

The Jayvee teams will clash at 6:45 o'clock, the preliminary time having been advanced at a recent meeting of the South Penn officials.

All eight members of the league will open their campaigns Tuesday evening. In addition to the Gettysburg-Carlisle tilt other games carded for Tuesday are: Hershey at Chambersburg, Waynesboro at Mechanicsburg, and Shippensburg at Hanover.

Chambersburg, seeking its sixth straight league title, is regarded by all as the team to beat for the honors. Coach Lowell Schlichter has another powerful Trojan outfit which appears as the outstanding favorite on the basis of pre-league game performances.

All other seven schools of the circuit have teams which appear to be about evenly matched and of the "dark horse" variety.

### Locals Boost Stock

Until the last two weeks, the Gettysburg high dribblers were unimpressive but in recent games the Maroons have been vastly improved. Their ball-handling has been better and with that their shooting should sharpen.

Despite the loss of their scoring ace of last year, Kenny Fair, the Forney-men are expected to give a good account of themselves in the coming campaign.

Carlisle has one letterman, Glenn Biggs, who has been sparring his team this season. Coach Millen's lads upset John Harris several weeks ago but lost games to Carson Long, William Penn and the alumni. Rounding out the starters for the Green and White will be Cary Ahl, tall center, Piper, guard, and Bogar and Shearer, forwards.

Cal Welliver's veteran Waynesboro team, unbeaten in five starts, ranks high in the role of contenders while Shippensburg, with eight veterans including Lee Lynch, high scorer of the loop a year ago, seems destined to rise from its usual door-mat spot in the conference.

### Hanover Green

Bernie Thrush, former Bigerville high mentor, has an entire new outfit to work with at Hanover, the entire Nighthawk varsity of a year ago having graduated.

Mechanicsburg has shown enough form to indicate it will furnish stiff competition for most teams, particularly on the Wildcats' home court.

Another team, always tough at home, is Hershey, where Coach Sterling Banta has an unpredictable outfit paced by Maurice Reichenbaugh.

## Sport Shorts

Philadelphia, Jan. 3 (AP)—Talk about sale of the Philadelphia Eagles apparently not only is premature but perhaps just idle rumor. That's the word from Charley Ewart, general manager of the National football league champions.

Ewart, commenting on a report by Braven Dyer, Los Angeles columnist, that the club has been sold to a Philadelphia syndicate, said yesterday the Eagles have not been sold and they may not change ownership at all.

Palm Springs, Calif., Jan. 3 (AP)—Many outside the University of California delegation expressed displeasure over the officiating of the Rose bowl game as Pacific coast conference officials began their three day winter meeting here today.

Unofficial discussion centered on Northwestern's 20-14 victory over California and its many post-battle repercussions. No one would comment by name for publication.

One conference bigwig, close to the officiating set-up, said he thought the whistle tooters were "nervous" but no one would go so far as to criticize them openly for miscalled penalty yards, as happened at least twice—once for Northwestern, once for the Bears.

## Basketball Scores

Duquesne, 64; Long Island, 55. New York, 12; Connecticut, 51. Lafayette, 45; Temple, 34. Western Ky., 86; St. Joseph's (Phila.), 69. Niagara, 70; Rice, 57. Canisius, 56; Cornell, 33. Cincinnati, 72; W. Va., 62.

Midwest Tourney  
Indiana State, 62; Northeast Mis-  
souri, 43. Baltimore Loyola, 72; Albright, 59.

## Couple Is Wed By Minister, Aged 5

Long Beach, Calif., Jan. 3 (AP)—A sailor and his bride are honeymooning today after being married by a five-year-old minister.

The preacher, Marjorie Gortner, who was ordained last October by the old time Faith church, performed the rites yesterday. His father said he has been preaching since he was three. He was assisted at the wedding by his two-year-old brother, Pat.

Married were Raymond Miller, 23, attached to the USS St. Paul, and Alma Brown, 21, Long Beach.

## BOWL RESULTS ADD CONFUSION TO GRID YEAR

New York, Jan. 3 (AP)—One of the wackiest of all college football seasons went to the moth balls today, doggedly following the upset theme right down to the end.

A multitude of New Year's Day bowl games only brought further and more complete confusion to a year that saw mighty Army and Notre Dame tied by supposedly inferior teams in the final weeks of the campaign.

So what did the bowl games prove?

Well, for one thing, they proved that the No. 7 team in the country could whip the No. 4 combine. Northwestern did it by humiliating California in the Rose Bowl, 20-14.

They proved the fifth best team in the nation, in the eyes of the experts, could lick No. 3 Oklahoma in the Sugar Bowl at New Orleans, conquering North Carolina, the highest ranked bowl performer, 14-6.

They proved tenth-ranked Southern Methodist university was superior, for one afternoon at least, to ninth-ranked Oregon, which bowed in the Cotton Bowl at Dallas, 21-13.

### "Third Rater" Wins

They proved that the most smashing and unbelievable triumph of the day could be achieved by a team that had been labeled a "third rater" on its season's record.

Texas rose out of the travail of three defeats and a tie to smash highly-regarded Georgia, the Southeastern conference champion and No. 8 in the national rankings, in the Orange Bowl at Miami, 41 to 28. Texas wasn't even in the first 20 in the final AP poll.

Clemson, the team that hadn't lost a game all year or even allowed itself to be tied, wasn't given much chance against the Missouri eleven that lost twice during the season.

But the South Carolinians finally convinced the boys their season's record was no fluke by measuring the Missourians in the Gator Bowl at Jacksonville, 24-23.

Nevada, which soared to a new offensive peak and led the nation in total offense behind the slingshot throwing arm of Stan Heath, was throttled by a Villanova team that had lost two games and tied one. Villanova won the Harbor Bowl game at San Diego, 27-7, holding Heath to negligible yardage.

### Other Results

Besides the Texas and Southern Methodist victories, Baylor whipped Wake Forest, 20-7, in the Dixie Bowl at Birmingham to give the boys from the cowboy country a clean sweep.

Other bowl results: Delta—William and Mary, 20; Oklahoma A. and M., 0; Salad—Drake, 14; Arizona, 13; Sun—West Virginia, 21; Texas Mines, 12; Raisin—Occidental, 21; Colorado A. and M., 20; Prairie—Wilberforce (Ohio), 6; Prairie View, 0; Vulcan—Kentucky State, 23; Greensboro (N.C.), A. and T., 13; Cigar—Missouri Valley, 13; St. Thomas (Minn.), 13; Tangerine—Sul Ross, 21; Murray State (Ky.), 21; Pineapple—Oregon State, 47; Hawaii, 27; Oriental Rice—U. S. Army Ground Forces, 13; U. S. Air Force, 7; Ice—Alaska, 0; Ladd Field, 0; Lily—U. S. Navy All-Stars, 25; Kindley Flyers, 6.

### MONDAY MATINEE

Word from the south is that Tu-lane's Monk Simons has dropped a few hints that he'd like to get back into more active coaching. . . . Joe Beggs, veteran relief pitcher who never had a losing season in Major league ball, is interested in an eastern college baseball coaching job.

You can blame the American Bowling Congress, in part, for the suspension of eastern hockey league activities this season. The circuit found it couldn't operate without Atlantic City and Atlantic City couldn't operate with the ABC taking over the auditorium for some four months.

### 29,547 Legal Deer Killed In Penna.

Harrisburg, Jan. 3 (AP)—Deer hunters killed 29,547 legal bucks during the 13-day 1948 season, the state Game Commission said in a preliminary report today.

Another 1,996 bucks and 2,530 does were killed illegally, making a grand total of 34,073 killed by gunfire during the season, the commission said.

It added, however, that the report was made up only of figures from area game wardens, and would not be official until individual tabulations from hunters are completed.

The report also showed that another 3,697 deer were killed by cars along state highways during the past year. Commenting on the 1948 kill, Thomas Frye, executive director of the commission, said "it was better than anticipated."

The bag during 1947 consisted of 31,475 bucks and 63,562 does. There was no doe season in 1948.

## 15 JAPS GET PRISON TERMS

Tokyo, Jan. 3 (AP)—Fifteen Japanese, including the war time military police chief and several former generals, drew heavy prison sentences today for killing 45 captured American fliers.

Twelve others were acquitted by a U. S. Eighth Army commission. The trial lasted five months.

Among those who drew the heaviest sentences—life in prison—were: Lt. Gen. Sanji Okuda, commander of the military police headquarters; Lt. Gen. Michio Kunitake, chief of staff of the 15th District Army; Maj. Gen. Tsugio Nagatomo, commander of the Central District military police; Lt. Col. Hideo Fujioka, chief of police affairs for the Central Army district, and Maj. Shuichi Ikoma, chief of the foreign affairs division of the Central District.

Lt. Gen. Elitaro Uchiyama got 40 years and Lt. Gen. Otogoro Ishida was sentenced to one year in prison. The others drew terms ranging down to one year.

Of the 53 American who died, 37 were shot, six were poisoned and two were beheaded. Eight died in prison.

## DAMAGE TO BIG SHIP DELAYS NEW SAILING

Southampton, Eng., Jan. 3 (AP)—The sailing of the Queen Mary for New York, scheduled for today, has been delayed until tomorrow because of damage done to the giant liner when she ran aground off Cherbourg Saturday.

The Cunard White Star line announced repairs to the damaged hull were being made from inside the vessel although that part of the ship is under water.

Although the repairs are of a "minor nature," the officials said they couldn't be completed in time for the vessel's scheduled departure with today's noon tide.

## Mechanicsburg Quint May Cause Trouble In League

Mechanicsburg, Jan. 3—Although the John Frederick's Mechanicsburg high varsity court will have only played two games before they meet Waynesboro here on January 4, the result of their fine play against a seasoned and star-studded team like Steelton with sure-shot Gibby Reich, may provide their opponents in the Southern Penn conference games some uncertain wins for the champs.

Waynesboro's five-game winning streak may be broken when they meet the Wildcats, for the boys this year are out to win every conference game. On the strength of their first two games, they may do it.

## COUPLES WILL

(Continued From Page 1)  
club in Schott's banquet hall, Tuesday at 6:15 p. m. This program will be in charge of the Fellowship and Attendance committee consisting of Walter F. Crouse, chairman, Charles M. Weikert, Mervin Harner and the Rev. David S. Kammerer.

In their second game against the MHS Alumni five, they lost by a score of 37 to 36, and never for one moment were they out of the play.

At the end of the second period in this game, the high school quintet led their older brothers by eight points, and a perfect score of six out of six in foul shots.

This year's varsity five went out on the court in their first game with very little known about them, but when their game was over with Steelton, Coach Frederick realized he had a smooth team, perhaps a little green on getting shots off the rebound, but fast and hard to keep track of, especially when the ball was in the scoring zone.

### Starters Chosen

The team makeup this year has Fred Diehl, Vic Enel, Don Cornman, George Cuthbert and Fred Badorff in the initial lineup, with the surprising Sonny Jacobs for the really maker. Both Diehl and Jacobs are dangerous near their basket, as they showed remarkable sureness in finding the net in the Steelton contest. Undoubtedly Sonny Jacobs has earned himself a sure birth on the varsity team, for he is tricky on offense, and can move fast with the ball.

A New Year's party will be held tonight at 7:30 o'clock in the church by the Abigail Kammerer Missionary society of St. Paul's Lutheran church. Husbands and friends of the members will be guests. There will be an exchange of gifts. Mrs. Maurice C. Weisheim, Park avenue, will be hostess on Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock to the Mite society of the church.

Mrs. Robert Crist, Hanover, will be hostess on Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock to the Women's Society of Christian Service of the Centenary Methodist church.

### Elect Church Officers

The consistory of Christ Reformed church, near Littlestown, was reorganized at the monthly meeting which was held Sunday morning following the Preparatory service. The following officers were elected: Orville C. Sentz, vice president; Harry C. Wildasin, financial and recording secretary; Lewis E. Bair, assistant secretary; George W. Berwager, assistant treasurer; Amos Carbaugh, assistant treasurer; delegate elder to Mercersburg Synod, George W. Berwager; alternate, Isaiah J. Forry.

There will be no rehearsal of the Littlestown Community band on Tuesday night as previously announced due to the monthly meeting of the Alpha Fire company.

The first quarterly meeting of the Adams County Firemen's Association will be held tonight at 7:30 o'clock in Fairfield. A number of the members of the Alpha Fire company are planning to attend.

Flowers in memory of Mrs.

A. K. Stock were placed in the chancel of Redeemer's Reformed church on Sunday by her husband and son, Roy. The church bulletins for Sunday and also next Sunday

offering of \$200 was received for the Hoffman orphanage. The Girls' Guild will meet tonight at 7:30 o'clock at the home of the Markle girls, 825 Broadway, Hanover, when Shirley Markle will be the leader. Paul Berwager, chorister, announced on Sunday that the choir rehearsal will be held Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock at his home on Westminster avenue, Hanover. The trustees will hold their annual meeting, Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. in the church.

Mrs. John C. Brumback, second vice president, presided over the January meeting of the Women's Guild of Christ Reformed church, following the Preparatory service on Sunday morning. Mrs. Clair R. Markle presented the secretary's report with 21 members present.

Mrs. Harry E. Bair presented the treasurer's report. It was voted to pay the 1949 Challenge of \$56 in full. Prayer calendars for 1949 were distributed. Mrs. David Markle was received as a new member. The next meeting will be held February 6 following the morning church service.

William Fissel was elected superintendent of the St. James Reformed Sunday school, along the Harney road at an election conducted on Sunday morning. Other officers elected include: John Staub, assistant superintendent; Miss Betty King, secretary; Robert Gordon, assistant secretary; Elmer King, treasurer; Mrs. Clyde Beamer, pianist, and Miss Nadine Fissel, assistant pianist.

The pastor, the Rev. Edward R. Hamme, began catechetical instruction on Sunday morning, during the Sunday school hour, which will continue weekly at that time until Holy Week. Church announcements made by the Rev. Mr. Hamme on Sunday morning were: Annual election of church officers and the winter Preparatory service next Sunday at 10 a. m.; January 16, Holy Communion and installation of church officers.

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were presented by Edward F. Hawk in memory of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel L. Hawk. The pastor, the Rev. Frank E. Reynolds, announced that confirmation class will be resumed on Tuesday at 7 p. m., following the Christmas recess. The Ladies' Aid society will hold its monthly meeting at 7:30 p. m. There will be a reorganization meeting of the consistory on Wednesday at 8 p. m. At 9 p. m., there will be a reunion of the present and former members of the consistory in the social hall when a social hour will be enjoyed.

### Services Held

Services were held Sunday evening in St. Aloysius Catholic church in honor of the Feast of the Holy Name of Jesus. There will be daily mass this week at 7:15 a. m., excepting Friday. Confessions will be heard on Thursday from 3:15 to 5 p. m. and from 7 to 8 p. m. in preparation for the first Friday. Friday, Holy Communion will be distributed outside of mass at 5:45 and 7 a. m. and mass will be celebrated at 7:30 a. m.

There will be a Triduum of Prayer in honor of the Holy Name of Jesus next Friday, Saturday and Sunday at 7:30 p. m. Members of the Holy Name Society will attend and all other men of the parish are invited. A Dominican priest of the Order of Preachers from the National Order of the Holy Name Society will conduct the Triduum. There will be a reorganization of the local society at that time. On Saturday confes-

sions will be heard from 6:30 to 7:25 p. m. with the service to follow at 7:30 p. m. A holiday party will be held Wednesday at 8 p. m. in the parish hall by the St. Aloysius council NCCW. All women of the parish are invited.

Before the Preparatory service on Friday evening, the pastor, the Rev. Kenneth D. James baptized Allan J. Croft, son of Irvin E. and Blanche J. Croft in the church. Sunday afternoon, the pastor baptized George Leonard Mumford, infant son of Burnell and Pauline (Myers) Mumford in the church. At the communion services on Sunday morning, the pastor installed Edgar DeGroft, Harry O. Harner and George Streig, councilmen, who were elected at the congregational meeting last Sunday. The monthly meeting of the council will be held in the church Tuesday at 7:30 p. m.

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## Today's Talk

### THE BIRTH OF A DAY

There is something melancholy and sad about a dying day, as there is about anything that is about to depart forever. Most of us never give a thought to the day that is about to close, merely thinking that it's just another day, and tomorrow will duplicate it — but for many there will be no tomorrow!

So, for us who are privileged to witness the dawn of a new day, let us glory in its birth! May its beauty and promise fill us with joy and hope. There are dreams in the spreading and breaking light of Aurora. Daybreak, day-birth — what a spectacle! In Wintertime shimmering through the lace of intricate branches, in the Springtime bathing the green of the earth and freshening the buds and blooms to new life, and at Autumn-time flooding the all outdoors with matchless coloring, and silent tones of music — the dawn of a new day a birthday party in itself.

Even the silent sufferers in hospitals and homes await the birth of a new day with anxious hope, for it cheers and blesses. It's then that God opens His eyes to all and notices. And so we ought to notice Him — and thank Him in our heart for another miracle of Dawn.

It is at the break of dawn in the months of warmth and flowering that the birds give forth their most melodious song — happy and thankful. But dawn that paints its beauty upon the snow is just as wonderful, with softened shadows creeping all about.

But what makes the birth of a day so significant is what it does to one — renewing resolutions, wiping out past memories that have brought trouble and anxiety, and giving zest to one's dream of happier days.

Each day-birth should be one of New Beginnings — a new birth in the heart of nobler aims and resolute decisions. God's watchful eye is ever upon such folks.

It is at dawn that the last star takes its sleep, giving place to the Sun's glory as it awakens all, and gives to them the cue of the day — a Good Morning to all and everything in life.

Tomorrow Mr. Adams will talk on the subject: "The Inwardness of Adventure."

## Just Folks

### NINETEEN FORTY-NINE

Now 'tis Nineteen Forty-Nine.  
Watch the change of date.

No more any letter sign:

### Nineteen Forty-Eight.

Habit yields a stubborn pen.  
Just a week ago

Forty-Eight was proper then;  
Now it isn't so.

Forty-Eight once more I've  
slipped!

So I search about

For a pencil rubber-tipped,  
Forced to rub it out.

Habit rules with fearful might,  
Clinging like a vine.

Will I ever think to write

### Nineteen Forty-Nine?

### THE ALMANAC

Jan. 4—Sun rises 7:22; sets 4:47.

Moon sets 10:15 p. m.

Jan. 5—Sun rises 7:22; sets 4:48.

Moon sets 11 p. m.

MOON PHASES

Jan. 7—Full quarter.

Jan. 19—Full moon.

Jan. 21—Last quarter.

Jan. 28—New moon.

byterian church.

Rev. T. B. Bucher, formerly pastor of the Reformed church in this place, has entered the Episcopal ministry.

On Tuesday, the 26th ult., by the Rev. Mr. Simon Haner, of York county, to Miss Lucy Ann Cool, of Freedom township, Adams county.

On Thursday, the 28th ult., by the Rev. Mr. Deininger, Mrs. Jacob Stouffer, of York county, to Miss Amanda Spangler, of Reading township.

On the 18th ult., by the Rev. J. Fohr, Mr. Amos Brough, to Miss Henrietta Myers — both of this county.

On the 28th ult., by the Rev. Mr. Scheurer, Mr. Elias Myers, of York county, to Miss Margaret, daughter of Mr. Daniel Basehaar, of this county.

On the 24th ult., by the Rev. Sidney L. Harkey, Mr. John H. Polley, formerly of Gettysburg, to Miss Anna Maria Hahn, of Manchester, Frederick county, Md.

On the 26th ult., by the Rev. J. Kennedy, Thomas Marshall, of this county, to Mrs. Jane Ann Reeside, of the vicinity of Shippensburg.

At Cincinnati, Ohio, on the 15th ult., by the Rev. Mr. Cavenagh, Dr. Wm. Paxton Witherow, of Martinsburg, Va. (formerly of Gettysburg) to Miss Mary Jane LeFever, of this place.

On Tuesday, the 26th ult., Mr. Simon Haner, of York county, to Miss Lucy Ann Cool, of Freedom township, Adams county.

On Thursday, the 28th ult., by the same, Mr. Rufus Duttero, to Miss Catharine Bittinger — both of Germany township.

On the same day, by the same, Mr. Israel Little, to Miss Margaret Elizabeth Miller — both of Cumberland township.

Co-Partnership Notice: The subscriber has this day associated with himself his two sons, James F. and Henry J. Fahnestock, in the mercantile business, which will hereafter be conducted under the firm of S. Fahnestock & Sons.

Sam'l Fahnestock.

SEVENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Sabbath School Convention: A

number of friends of the S. S.

cause met in the M. E. church in

Gettysburg on the 31st ult., to make

preliminary arrangements for an

Adams county Sabbath School con-

vention.

The meeting was opened with

prayer by Rev. G. W. Enders, John

R. Hersh was called to the chair, and

G. W. Wortz appointed Secretary.

It was decided that the Adams coun-

ty Sabbath school convention be

held in St. James Lutheran church

the 21st and 22d of January, 1874.

A committee of entertainment was

appointed as follows: D. A. Buehler

and Henry J. Fahnestock, of Christ

church; George Wolf and Henry

Overdear, of St. James Lutheran

church; J. L. Schick and William

Guinn, of the M. E. church; George

Guyer and T. J. Stahl, of the Re-

formed church; George Weaver and

Sol J. Welty, of the Presbyterian

church; William McClean and Fran-

cis Cunningham, of the United Pres-

## LEGISLATURE OPENS TUESDAY FOR LONG GRIND

By LEONARD A. UNGER

Harrisburg, Jan. 3 (P)—The 138th regular session of the Pennsylvania legislature opens tomorrow. It bids to be a six-months' grind dominated principally by tax problems.

Gov. James H. Duff is the key figure. It's up to him to make recommendations for financing a billion dollar program for the final two years of his administration. An idea of what he has in mind will be given to the joint session of House and Senate shortly after the traditional pomp and ceremony of organizing the two chambers at noon tomorrow.

He already has said the program will be "simple, clear and understandable."

### Test Duff As Leader

And overshadowing the actions of the GOP-dominated assembly will be a test of Duff's status as the kingpin of Keystone State Republicans.

He must be able to smooth over a split with former U. S. Senator Joseph R. Grundy last year, over the Republican presidential nomination. Some legislators are sympathetic to Grundy and could use their votes to harass Duff and his program.

Ability to win over recalcitrant GOP lawmakers would mean sure extension of four bills portions of the governor's program. They include stream clearance, mental hospital expansion, augmented public health services and retention of the tax-anything law for local communities.

Both Republicans and Democrats also await the executive's ideas on how to square away increased demands for education and grants without any boost in taxes. He is likely to reveal his stand on proposals to repeal the 1947 soft drink tax and demands for revision of business taxes.

The governor will also formally propose increasing the gasoline tax from four cents a gallon to six cents to finance a \$100,000,000 a year road building program.

But before his speech to the joint session, the two Houses will convene separately to act on election returns, seat new members and elect officers.

### PROWLER ESCAPES

Philadelphia, Jan. 3 (P)—Police today sought an unidentified prowler who beat two 19-year-old waitresses in their apartment. Victims of the attack yesterday were identified as Catherine Burch and Sophia Stewart. Police said their screams attracted an unidentified sailor and cab driver whose arrival sent the prowler fleeing through a kitchen window that he had forced to get into the two-room apartment.

State College, Pa., Jan. 3 (P)—Student pickets reformed their lines in front of the town's barbershops as classes resumed at the Pennsylvania State College. The picketing, complete with placards urging the ousting of "Jim Crow in State college," originally started early last month in protest to the barbers' reported refusal to cut the hair of negro students at the college.

## Beware Coughs From Common Colds

### That HANG ON

Creamulsion relieves promptly because it goes right to the seat of the trouble to help loosen and expel germs laden phlegm and aid nature to soothe and heal raw, tender, inflamed bronchial mucous membranes. Tell your druggist to sell you a bottle of Creamulsion with the understanding you must like the way it quickly relieves the cough or you are to have your money back.

### CREOMULSION

for Coughs, Chest Colds, Bronchitis

### PUBLIC SALE

SATURDAY, JANUARY 8,

At 1 O'Clock

The undersigned will sell at his residence in Idaville his entire lot of household furniture, from attic to cellar, as well as some farm equipment, as follows:

### Farm Equipment

Two-horse wagon, Oliver 2-horse plow, single and double trees, jockey stick, traces, log, tie and cow chains; hog trough, 3 iron kettles and stands, rakes, forks, shovels, hoes, 3 cross-cut saws, wheelbarrow, hand sprayers, clusters, sacks and bags, lanterns, 2 sets of hames, pair of check lines, single line, 2 halters, lead run and many other items.

### Household Goods

Two white enamel kitchen ranges, small coal heater, large chunk stove, coal Heatrula, extension table, drop-leaf table, 3 different kinds of plank-bottom chairs, large cupboard, antique cupboard, 2 antique sinks, 3 rocking chairs, radio cabinet, chest, antique sideboard, full bedroom suite, bed and springs. Weaver organ, stands, Singer sewing machine, couch, Victrola with records, dresser, wash stand, child's rocking horse, high chair, child's rocking chair, lamp, Rayo lamp, pictures, lot of carpet, lot of dishes (some antique), lot of jars, pots, pans, kettles, crocks, other articles too numerous to mention.

### CLEARANCE

CHILDREN'S DRESSES

Cottons, Rayons and Wools — New Winter Styles

Sizes: Little Tots, Growing Girls and Teen Age

## Emmitsburg

Emmitsburg—Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Malloy spent the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Reeves Blandford, Upper Marlboro, Md.

Mrs. Harry Boyle spent the weekend in Baltimore visiting her children.

Miss Mary Burton, Weston, W. Va., spent a week recently with her mother, Mrs. Hester Burton.

Mrs. L. G. Wiley, Norfolk, Va., spent several days during the week with her sister, Mrs. Earl Kugler, and family. While here she attended the funeral on Wednesday morning of her brother, Robert Pamel.

Visitors over the holidays at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Walter were Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Walter, John Walter and Mrs. Anna Kraemer, all of Washington; Mr. and Mrs. John Hobbs, of Hagerstown, and Mr. and Mrs. D. Frank Kelly and son, Carmel.

Miss Alice Kelly recently visited relatives and friends in Philadelphia.

William Kerrigan, Baltimore, is spending the holidays with relatives and friends in town.

William Zurgable, Baltimore, was a recent visitor in town.

Miss Helen Hann, and sister, Mary Louise, of Baltimore, Mrs. Carroll Hann and sons, Richard and Eugene, of Hagerstown, were visitors recently at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gelwick.

Mr. and Mrs. Reeves Blandford and family, of Upper Marlboro, Md., spent several hours in town recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Zurgable and son, Jeffrey, spent New Year's Day with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Jones, Washington, D. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Heagy, Mr. and Mrs. James C. Austin and daughter, Jeannie, Atlantic City, N. J., recently visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Eyer.

Relatives and friends recently visiting Mr. and Mrs. Calvin E. Maddox and son at "The Spinning Wheel," were Mrs. Samuel B. Flinkman, Detroit, Mich.; Mr. and Mrs. John

## NEW YEAR TOLL OVER 300 IN U.S.

(By The Associated Press)

The death toll from traffic and other accidents during the New Year's week-end of holiday revelry had climbed to more than 300 today with total fatalities in a Seattle plane crash still undetermined.

At least

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## NOTICES

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**BINGO:** KNIGHTS of Columbus, Center Square, every Monday night, 8 o'clock. Public invited and welcome. Best in variety and quality.

**RIFLE MATCHES** every Tuesday. Starting January 4th. Hunters' town Gun Club.

**BIG BINGO** Party: Starting November 10th. Barlow Fire Company Hall, every Wednesday night at 8 o'clock.

**RUMMAGE SALE:** Saturday, January 8th. Leatherman room, Center Square. Benefit American Legion Auxiliary. Donations should be in by Friday afternoon or call 620-Y.

## EMPLOYMENT

### • Male Help Wanted 13

**YOUNG MEN:** A large insurance company in Philadelphia has need for young men interested in career opportunities. Not selling, Law, engineering, business administration, statistical or accounting training necessary to qualify for company's training program. Permanent positions. In reply state age, experience and education. Write Box "6," Gettysburg Times.

**WANTED: SALESMAN**, immediately, to call on builders, contractors and home-owners. We guarantee you excellent earnings in an unlimited field. We have jobs waiting now for estimates. If you have ever sold or would like to sell, see us now. Start at once. Roy E. Goldsmith, 44 Steinwehr Avenue, Phones 189-Y and 141-X, Gettysburg, Pa.

**AUTOMOBILE MECHANIC**, only first class need apply. E. L. Smith's Garage, 241 South Washington Street. Phone 651-Y.

### • Female Help 15

**WANTED: TWO** waitresses; dish washer for night work; also porter. Greyhound Posthouse, Gettysburg.

## FOR SALE

### • Miscellaneous 17

**GLENWOOD RANGE** fitted for oil or coal, \$40.00; Bucket-a-day stove, \$10.00; Incubator hot-water stove, \$35.00; 6 rolls slate-surfaced roofing, \$2.50 per roll. Edw. A. Holmes, Marsh Creek Road, Greenmount, Gettysburg, R. 2.

**SPECIAL SALE** Used records, 10¢ each—Peace Light Inn. Phone 80.

**7 HEAD** Yorkshire hogs; soy beans; corn. I. C. Buecher, Biglerville, R. 1. Phone Biglerville 931-R-21.

**SEASONED PEACH** wood, \$20.00 large truckload, delivered, sawed short. Mrs. H. J. Oyler, Gettysburg Route 3.

**FOR SALE:** Slab wood, \$3.00 per cord, at the John Bigham Farm. E. L. McClellan. Phone Fairfield 16-R-21.

**GUARANTEED WATCH** repair, one week service. Gay's Jewelry, 10 Carlisle Street, Gettysburg, Pa.

**FOR SALE:** Cord wood, sawed short, mostly dry, will deliver; 400 locust posts, 7 foot long; pair 700 or 750x20 double dual truck chains. Lloyd Rothaupt. Phone Gettysburg 939-R-2.

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